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# IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

Criminal No. 21- 595 [UNDER SEAL]

DANIEL DELLICH, JR.

## **INDICTMENT MEMORANDUM**

AND NOW comes the United States of America, by its attorneys, Stephen R. Kaufman, Acting United States Attorney for the Western District of Pennsylvania, and Brendan J. McKenna, Assistant United States Attorney for said District, and submits this Indictment Memorandum to the Court:

## I. THE INDICTMENT

A federal grand jury returned a two-count Indictment against the above-named defendant for alleged violations of federal law:

COUNT	OFFENSE/DATE	TITLE/SECTION
One	Possession with intent to distribute a quantity of a mixture and substance containing a detectable amount of methamphetamine.	21 U.S.C. §§ 841(a)(1) and 841(b)(1)(C)
	On or about August 26, 2021	`
Two	Possession of a firearm and ammunition by a convicted felon.	18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(1)
	On or about August 26, 2021	

## II. ELEMENTS OF THE OFFENSES

#### A. As to Count One:

In order for the crime of possession with intent to distribute a quantity of a mixture and substance containing a detectable amount of methamphetamine, in violation of 21 U.S.C. §§ 841(a)(1) and 841(b)(1)(C), to be established, the government must prove the following essential elements beyond a reasonable doubt.

1. That on or about the date set forth, the defendant possessed with intent to distribute the controlled substance charged in the Indictment.

<u>United States v. Lartey</u>, 716 F.2d 955, 967 (2d Cir. 1983); <u>United States v. Wright</u>, 593 F.2d 105, 107-108 (9th Cir. 1979); <u>United States v. Tighe</u>, 551 F.2d 18, 21 (3d Cir.), cert. denied, 434 U.S. 823 (1977).

2. That the defendant did so knowingly and intentionally.

<u>United States v. Jewell</u>, 532 F.2d 697, 699-700 (9<sup>th</sup> Cir.), <u>cert. denied</u>, 426 U.S. 951 (1976); <u>United</u> States v. Kairouz, 751 F.2d 467, 469 (1st Cir. 1985).

3. That methamphetamine is a Schedule II controlled substance.

21 C.F.R. § 1308.12(d); <u>United States v. Gori</u>, 324 F.3d 234, 240 (3d Cir. 2003).

#### B. As to Count Two:

In order for the crime of possession of a firearm and ammunition by a convicted felon, in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(1), to be established, the government must prove all of the following essential elements beyond a reasonable doubt:

1. That the defendant knowingly possessed the firearm and/or ammunition described in Count Two of the Indictment;

- 2. At the time of the charged act, the defendant had been convicted of a felony, that is, a crime punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding one (1) year;
- 3. At the time of the charged act, the defendant knew that he had been convicted of a felony, that is, a crime punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding one (1) year; and
- 4. The defendant's possession was in or affecting interstate or foreign commerce.

Third Circuit Model Criminal Jury Instruction 6.18.922G (modified).

# III. PENALTIES

- A. As to Count One: Possession with intent to distribute a quantity of a mixture and substance containing a detectable amount methamphetamine (21 U.S.C. §§ 841(a)(1) and 841(b)(1)(C)):
  - 1. A term of imprisonment of not more than twenty (20) years.
  - 2. A fine not to exceed \$1,000,000.
  - 3. A term of supervised release of at least three (3) years.

For a second or subsequent felony drug conviction that is final, whether federal, state, or foreign:

- 1. A term of imprisonment of not more than thirty (30) years.
- 2. A fine not to exceed \$2,000,000.
- 3. A term of supervised release of at least six (6) years.
- B. As to Count Two: Possession of a firearm and ammunition by a convicted felon (18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(1)):
- 1. A term of imprisonment of not more than ten (10) years. However, if it is determined that the defendant has three previous convictions for a violent felony or a serious drug

offense, or both, then pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 924(e), the term of imprisonment is not less than fifteen (15) years to a maximum of life imprisonment.

- 2. A fine of not more than \$250,000 (18 U.S.C. § 3571(b)(3)).
- 3. A term of supervised release of not more than three (3) years (or five (5) years if 18 U.S.C. § 924(e) applies) (18 U.S.C. § 3583).

## IV. MANDATORY SPECIAL ASSESSMENT

A mandatory special assessment of \$100.00 must be imposed at each count upon which the defendant is convicted, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3013.

## · V. RESTITUTION

Not applicable in this case.

# VI. FORFEITURE

As set forth in the Indictment, forfeiture may be applicable in this case.

Respectfully submitted,

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